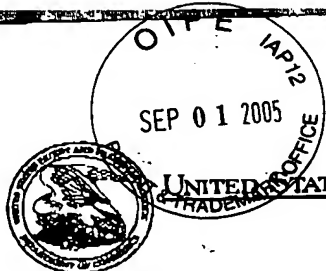


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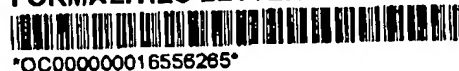
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The compact disc(s) submitted fail to comply with 37 CFR 1.52(e) in that they contain non-ASCII files. A new duplicate set of compact discs with only ASCII files is required. Any replacement compact disc submitted should be accompanied by a certification as required by 37 CFR 1.52(e) that each disc of a duplicate set is identical to the other disc of the set. If a directory of the disc could be printed, it is attached and non-ASCII files are marked on the directory listing.

Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts
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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



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In re Application of) Group Art Unit: 1614
Robbins and Tritz)
Serial No: 10/753,718) Examiner: Not known
Filed: January 8, 2004)
Title: RIBOZYME THERAPY FOR)
THE TREATMENT OF)
PROLIFERATIVE SKIN AND)
EYE DISEASES)
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed July 19, 2005, enclosed are:

- X 1. An amendment to delete the compact discs previously submitted and entered.
- X 2. A response to the Notice.
- X 3. Power of Attorney

X No additional fee is required. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 501559 if any fees are deemed required.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 18, 2005

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed July 19, 2005, which states that the compact discs submitted on June 22, 2004 fail to comply with 37 CFR 1.52(e) because they contain non-ASCII files. Because this response is being filed within two months of the notice, no fee is required.

After consulting with the Office of Initial Patent Examination, it was agreed that Applicants can, by amendment, delete the compact discs from the subject application and rely on the sequences filed in the parent case, U.S. Ser. No. 09/696,791, filed October 25, 2000. Authorization for transfer of these sequences to the subject application was filed on June 22, 2004 (copy attached).

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